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ABSTRACT:

The present invention pertains to nanostructures, i.e., nanometer sized structures useful in the construction of microscopic and macroscopic structures. In particular, the present invention pertains to nanostructures based on bacteriophage T4 tail fiber proteins and variants thereof.

22 Claims, 33 Drawing figures